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QUARTERLY CONVENTION OF BAPTIST ASSOCIATION TO BE HELD AT KINSTON.

Following is the program for the Quarterly Convention of the Coffee County Baptist Association to be held on October 11, 1927, at Kinston Baptist Church.

10 A. M. Song—"Jesus Calls Us."

Devotional: Encouragement for the Worker—Rev. J. S. Johnson.

Song: Labor On.

Business: Roll Call of Societies; Recognition of new Societies.

Talk: What must be done to accomplish our aim by the first of 1928—Mrs. J. A. Carney.

Open Discussions: (1) Plans that have succeeded in getting new members; (2) Organizing and fostering new Societies; (3) Enlisting young people. Mrs. S. F. Lowe leading discussions.

Talk: Pray Ye the Lord of the Harvest.

Special Music: Kinston band.

Prayer. Lunch.

Meeting of Executive Committee.

Afternoon Session.

Song.

Devotional: Joy in the Harvest—Rev. T. C. Mahan.

Report of Young People's Work—Mrs. O. Dowling.

Talk: Importance of Observing each day of the week of prayer—Mrs. L. L. Conner.

Talk: Make Worthy Offerings—Rev. S. F. Lowe.

Talk: Make Pledges for Co-operative Program for 1928—Rev. A. W. Bower.

Wednesday.

Talk: Life of Miss Lottie Moon—Mrs. W. F. Cooper.

Reading—Mrs. Sam Rowe.

Talk: Enlistment of our pastors in the W. M. U. work in the churches—Rev. F. W. Tomberlin, our county missionary.

Recommendations of Executive Committee.

Song.

Playlet by Kinston Young People.

Report of Committees.

Adjournment.

G. A. MET AT HOME OF MISS SARA MAC MATHIS—

The G. A. met Wednesday afternoon with Miss Sara Mac Mathis at her home at the bank. A state mission program was led by Mrs. Terry Kendrick. A list of questions relative to state mission work was asked. Miss Louie Tucker gave the largest number of correct answers and was given a prize.

The hostess assisted by her mother served ice cream and cake.

Miss Eva Hammond had an attack of appendicitis the first of the week and was confined to her bed for a few days.

Mrs. J. M. Garrett spent Saturday in Troy shopping.

24th HOME TALK, SELF RISING FLOUR, \$1.00. MAYS-VAUGHN MERC., CO.

NOTICE.

Everybody is cordially invited to singing at Curtis next Sunday afternoon. We will use the new Shon-walter book, Ideal Songs.

ELBA THEATRE WILL SHOW ALL NEXT WEEK FOR 10c.

The following is the program at Elba Theatre for the week of October 10th to 16th. Read it and think of seeing these big road shows for only one dime.

Monday and Tuesday.

"THE ROUGH RIDERS"—A Road Show production, based on the amazing story of Theodore Roosevelt's famous regiment of dare devils in the Spanish-American war.

Wednesday.

"WHAT HAPPENED TO JANE"—one of the best comedies you ever saw with an all star cast.

Thursday.

"THE TEN MODERN COMMANDMENTS"—Starring Esther Ralston, one of the screen's most beautiful stars and her newest picture.

Friday.

"AFTER MIDNIGHT"—one of the best mystery dramas ever made, with an all star cast.

Saturday.

"THE ONE MAN GAME"—Starring Fred Humes; also good comedy of new reels, with every picture. Come everybody and have a whole week of fun for just one dime a day. 10c to all this week only.

MRS. MURPHREE HOSTESS TO BRIDGE CLUB—

A lovely party was given at the home of Mrs. P. H. Murphree Thursday afternoon when her guests were members of the Bridge Club, and Mesdames Frank Rainer, Dudley Barnard, Vannie Wright and Tom Hutchison.

Baskets of cut flowers intermingled with greenery added to the beauty of the living room. Here tables were arranged for the games. The hostess served a salad course.

Mrs. W. F. Boyd has returned from a visit to relatives and friends in Montgomery, Alexander City, Brent and Montevallo.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lanier, Miss Sara Lanier and Miss Doris Holman, of Hartford, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Vaughn the first of the week.

PRESIDING ELDER TO PREACH AT M. E. CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY NIGHT.

At the Methodist Church, next Sunday the pastor will preach at the morning hour. At 7:30 P. M., Rev. C. S. Talley, presiding elder of the Troy District, will preach. At 9:00 P. M., Dr. Talley will hold the last quarterly conference for the Elba charge.

This charge is composed of three churches: Elba, Liberty and Lee School House, which was organized in July. The church has not been asleep this year. Good work is being done at each point. Members received at Elba, 21; at Liberty, 28; at Lee School House, 4.

We are expecting a good financial report Sunday afternoon, especially on the Pastor's salary. The annual Conference meets October 26th, at Anselm, and Elba will carry up a good report as is her custom.

C. A. Williams, Pastor.

LIST OF TEACHERS IN COFFEE COUNTY SCHOOLS FOR THE PRESENT TERM.

Following is a list of the teachers in the Coffee County Schools for the present term.

Amelia—Miss Bettie Macon.

Newbliss—Mrs. Mae L. Bryan.

Ham—Miss Annie Lee Phillips.

Pine Level—Mr. J. E. Chatham.

St. Louis—Miss Helen Sylvester, Miss Donie C. Chapman, Miss Mae Harris, Miss Mary E. Curtis, Miss Johnnie Shealey.

Danley's X Roads—Mrs. Will Kendrick, Miss Cenie Mae Ashurst.

Curtis—Mr. C. H. Byrd, Miss Kayron Campbell, Miss Maude Byrd, Miss Lucile Chapman, Mrs. E. A. Grimes.

Basco—Miss Arvie Dee Fuller, Miss Sallie Belle Russell, Mrs. Eva Moore.

Miss Hetty Faulk.

Brooklyn—Mrs. Willie P. Weatherly, Miss Adie Page.

Alberton—Miss Beatrice Sager.

Macedonia—Miss Willie Blue.

Inc—Miss Lennie E. Wallis, Miss Leila Turner.

Bradshaw—Mr. H. L. Sullivan.

Mrs. H. L. Sullivan, Miss Bertie Hix.

Damasco—Mr. C. E. Peacock.

Miss Bonelle Walker, Miss Jessie Bass.

Sand Hill—Mr. N. W. Rhodes, Miss Mary Moreman.

Reece—Miss Mae Morris.

Zion Chapel—Miss Katie Cotton.

Miss Trudie Cope.

Lee—Miss Dixie Lee, Miss Lizzie Harris.

Bluff Springs—Miss Fannie B. Watkins.

County Line—Mr. W. T. Dalton.

Miss Corinne Morris.

Double Head—L. H. Graves.

Pondus—Miss Lucile Jackson.

Ising Ridge—Miss Ida Belle Roberts.

Brunson—Mrs. Eunice M. Jones.

Arwood—

New Brockton—Mr. W. A. Eldon.

Miss Ann Gresham, Miss Elizabeth Turnipseed, Miss Kathleen Furlow.

Mrs. Herbert Jones, Miss Alma Polston, Miss Helen Gresham, Miss Merle Ingram, Miss Mattie Polston, Miss Kate Jones.

Harrison—Miss Minnie Pearce.

Bethany—Mr. J. D. Willis, Mrs. J. D. Willis, Miss Gussie Boyett.

Pleasant Ridge—Mr. Glen Johnson.

Miss Beth Arwood, Miss Estelle Sawyer.

Watson—Miss Frances Hutchison.

Goodman—Miss Hilda Swan, Miss Laura Sellers.

Fairview—Mr. A. C. Dunnaway.

Mrs. A. C. Dunnaway, Miss Ruth Andrews, Miss Nadine Faircloth, Miss Emily Mathis.

Asbury—Mrs. Vashyie B. Boren.

Vandorbi—Mr. W. T. Long, Miss Bernice Garner.

Dress—Miss Haughtie Peacock.

Chestnut Grove—Mr. J. C. Colquitt.

Mrs. J. C. Colquitt, Miss Willie Lamb.

Repton—Miss Levis Bryant, Miss Lillian Rowe.

New Hope—Miss Eunice Day, Miss Mavis Skinner, Miss Foy Lamb, Miss Nealon Rainey.

Tabernacle—Mr. W. E. Blocker.

Farmers Academy—Miss Mary Sue McKinney, Miss Sallie Lou Strozier, Miss Bertha Johnson, Miss Ella Mae Tiffin.

Eaton—Miss Bertha Harris, Miss Leha Little.

Rhodes—Mr. E. W. Ellis, Miss Lowell Russell, Miss Glattis Wise, Mrs. Hattaway.

Kinston—Mr. L. O. Kyzar, Mr. Marvin Vines, Mrs. Flora Pierce, Mrs. Johnnie Moore, Mrs. Brunson, Mrs. L. O. Kyzar, Mrs. Bessie Mae Stanley.

Rockham, Miss Coy Smith.

Keyton—Mr. W. A. Edwards.

County Line—Miss Rena Edwards.

Miss Bessie Sue Price.

Cool Springs—Miss Alice Jones.

Mount Pleasant—Mr. Hobart Grace, Miss Madge Page, Miss Mollie Lee Cook, Mrs. Willie Mae Martin, Miss Bonnie Fuller, Miss Mary Sue McNeil, Mrs. J. D. Nichols, Mrs. C. W. Harrell.

Camp Ground—Miss Margaret Colley, Miss Margaret Hildreth.

Evergreen—Miss Manie Thornton.

Zoar—Miss Audrey Partin.

Weeks—Miss Lucy Martin, Miss Foy Brabham.

Center—Miss Gussie Covington.

Pine Grove—Miss Lillian Morris.

Wise Mill—Miss Belle Cope.

Union—Miss Ora Lowery.

Cross Roads—Miss Ruth Warren, Miss Idle Boyett.

Clintonville—Miss Althea Carmichael, Mrs. Ethel Seay Batchelor.

Dr. and Mrs. Mercer Rowe and children, Mercer Cotton and Horatia, spent Wednesday and Thursday in Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Lane, of Dothan, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Lane and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Whitman and family spent Sunday in Chipley, Fla., with Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Whitman.

New Brockton News

By Miss Alpha Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Polson spent Sunday in Dothan as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Morris.

Mrs. Lucy McClure, of San Bernardino, California, Mrs. Elie Ausley of Brandridge and Mr. Cliff Carroll, of Banks, and Mr. and Mrs. Metcalf of near Calvary, were the guests of Mr. Tom Worthing Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Fleming and children spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Adams of Ashford.

Mr. Grady Flowers spent Sunday in Montgomery.

Miss Kathleen Furlough was called to her home in Troy Sunday night on account of the serious illness of her grandfather, Mr. Furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jeffcoat, of near Opp, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Fleming Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bagley, of Hartsburg, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Hart.

Mrs. Howard Wise and little daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Jones.

Messrs. Walter and Rob Bagley spent Friday in Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Rowe and little daughter, and Dr. and Mrs. M. Heath spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Jones.

Master Chalmers Woodie is ill in the Coffee County Memorial Hospital in Enterprise. His many friends hope that he will soon be well and at home again.

Mr. M. A. McDowell spent last week with his daughter Mrs. W. W. Fleming of Brandridge.

Misses Evelyn and Agnes Stephens of Enterprise spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stephens.

Mrs. G. H. Chambers and Mrs. W. W. Chambers and children, of Enterprise, visited Mrs. Vella Fussell Sunday.

Mr. E. M. Disenke and daughter, Mary, and Mr. and Mrs. Austin Harris and children, spent Sunday in Mobile, as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Beth Ward.

Mr. Talley Sawyer, of Graceville, Fla., spent Thursday and Friday with relatives here.

Rev. M. T. Moore and daughter, Alpha, were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Barr of near Enterprise Sunday.

Slumber Party.

Miss Pauline Fleming entertained a few of her friends at a slumber party Saturday night. Victrola music was enjoyed for sometime, after which a feast was spread.

Those who enjoyed the party were: Misses Merle and Nadine Ingram, Alpha and Stella B. Moore, Bonnie Bagley and Julia Holley.

Lenon Squeeze.

Mrs. Lena Brock entertained her Sunday School class at a "Lenon Squeeze" Friday night in the Sunday School rooms of the Methodist church. The rooms were decorated very prettily with cut flowers. Each child brought a lemon and paid one penny for each one. After the lemons were squeezed and delicious lemonade made, the children enjoyed numerous games for awhile. Those present were: Mac Bush, Marion Fuller, Richard Hayes, Nell Crabtree, Trill Sawyer, Wendis Moseley and little James Sawyer.

Birthday Party.

Mrs. Dial entertained her daughter Dolly at a birthday party Friday night celebrating her fifteenth birthday. The living room was beautifully decorated with cut flowers. Upon arrival of the guests, delicious punch was served, after which numerous sandwiches and punch were served.

Those who enjoyed the party with Dolly were: Misses Louise and Ethel Sawyer, Mary Alice Jones, Fannie Loy Nolan, Eloise Sawyer, Katherine Hart, Nell Crabtree, Kate and Vestaline Brabham, Mary Ellis Horn, Gussie Boyett, Annette Polson, Earline Fussell and Jean Moore, Messrs. John Jones, Baxton Rowe, Sam Holley, Kneashel Hayes, James Marley, Paul Jones, Wyeth Wallace, Kyle Jones, Lewis Boyett and Roy Snellgrove. Miss Dial received many lovely presents.

Surprise Birthday Party.

On Sunday, September 25, Mrs. Jesse Polson was surprised with a birthday dinner, celebrating her sixtieth birthday. The table was full of delicious eats, and in the center of the table stood a huge cake, which held sixty-nine candles.

Those who helped and enjoyed the dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Polson were their daughters and their husbands: Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Windham of Elba, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Whitman of Elba, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wilson, of Goodman, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Locklar, of Farmers Academy. Mrs. Polson received

MR. HUDSON WRITES ON PRO- POSED SCHOOL BOND ISSUE AMENDMENT.

The people of Coffee County will have the opportunity on January 10, 1928, to vote on a 20 Million Dollar State bond issue for the sole purpose of building school houses or retiring indebtedness that has already been incurred for this purpose. If this proposition passes it means that \$200,000.00 will come to Coffee County to be used to erect such school buildings as will be needed to adequately take care of the children of the County. The State has issued bonds on its future revenue for other purposes, and why not for building school houses? There is certainly no interest in the State superior to that of its children.

This bond issue WILL NOT bring about an increase in taxation since one mill of the State's 2 1/2 mill ad valorem tax now being collected has been set aside for the retirement of principal and interest as it comes due. Some may advance the argument that setting aside this one mill would result in a deficiency in the general state revenue, but this is not the case since the recent revenue has adequately supplied this deficiency in the general state revenue and these revenues will be collected anyway, whether the bond issue passes or not.

If we vote these bonds on, the \$200,000.00 will come to this county without difficult conditions having to be met. The only thing necessary to be done is for a joint survey to be made by the County and State to determine just what buildings are needed and the money can be used for no other purpose than carrying out this program. If the \$200,000.00 should not be enough to do this the law gives authority for the county to raise in any way possible an amount not to exceed the \$200,000.00. This does not mean that \$200,000.00 will have to be matched for a like amount but may be done if necessary.

Let's get behind this proposition and give the children of today the advantages of modern school facilities.

Respectfully,

J. E. HUDSON,
Chairman County Committee.

MISS HAMMOND ENTER- TAINS THE Y. W. A.—

Miss Eva Hammond was hostess to the Y. W. A. Tuesday afternoon at the home of her aunt, Miss Fannie Harper. The Mission Study was taught by the Y. W. A. Leader, Miss Annie Laurie Bullard. After the lesson a social hour was enjoyed, during which the hostess invited her guests to Whitman's drug store, where they were served a delicious ice cream. There were seventeen present.

GIRL TUMBLES INTO 19 FOOT WELL; DRAWN OUT UNHURT

Miss Ina Lane, who is a student of Campbell Institute in Dothan, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Lane.

Mrs. J. E. Hudson has returned from Columbia, Ala., where she visited her sister, Mrs. C. C. McIntyre.

NINE POUND POTATO.

The Clipper has in its possession now a sweet potato, grown by Mr. J. T. Price on his farm seven miles from town, which weighed nine and one-half pounds when brought to town.

EIGHT FOOT STALK OF CANE.

Mr. H. H. Bowman was in The Clipper office last Saturday and left a stalk of sugar cane measuring exactly eight feet in length. Last year Mr. Bowman had the record on sugar cane, with some stalks 10 feet and 5 inches, and he wants to know if anyone else can tie his record this year.

Miss Annie C. Broughton spent Sunday in Opp.

many nice presents.

P. T. A. Meets.

The P. T. A. held its regular meeting Thursday afternoon in the High School auditorium at 3:30 o'clock. The following program was rendered: Song: Battle Hymn of the Republic.

Roll Call: Favorite Bible Quotations.

Dramatized Play: by the First Grade.

Music: Misses Gresham and Eloise Sawyer.

What Effect Does Good School Attendance Have on Child's Record?—Discussion by All.

Talk: What the P. T. A. Means to the School—Prof. Edson.

Business: Plans for the Coming year were made.

DORSEY BROTHERS REPORT A GOOD SEASON ON PEANUT PICKING MACHINES.

Dorsey Brothers, local dealers for the well known Lillian Peanut Pickers, report a splendid business in this line this season. The Lillian is said to be the best machine on the market, producing excellent results in operation, and many farmers have taken advantage of the opportunity, and have equipped themselves for the peanut picking season.

Mr. Wright, of Dorsey Brothers, tells The Clipper that they are prepared to make immediate deliveries on a number of these machines, having secured a few extra ones in order to accommodate those who may need a machine in a hurry. We are carrying today a large aid for Dorsey Brothers, telling of the superior qualities of the new Lillian.

"SELLING SOULS" IS FEATURE PLAY OF MILT TOLBERT.

Monday night, October 10, is the opening date of the Milt Tolbert Theatre in Elba. They will be here for a full week, and have a nice list of plays to put on for Elba vaudeville fans.

"Selling Souls" is the feature play which comes off on Friday night of next week. Other numbers will be "Keep to the Right," "Other Peoples Business," "Unmarried Mothers," "The Truth," and "The Heart of Jezebel."

Mr. Wagner, the advance advertiser for Tolbert assured us last week when he was here that the show will be the best this year that they have ever had. They have a lot of new characters and new scenery—just everything is new except the music, according to Mr. Wagner.

The Milt Tolbert cast consists of fifty people and they are all artists. The people of Elba know what to expect from this talented organization because it has been here for the past several years.

They especially boast their "Radio Serenades," who furnish the music for the show. So if you expect to see a good show this season, get ready to take in the Milt Tolbert show next week.

NEW TAX COLLECTOR FORM- ALLY TAKES OVER OFFICE.

Mr. J. Dudley Heath, Coffee County's new Tax Collector, formally took over the duties of the office here on last Saturday, October 1st, and can now be found at his office by those who desire to pay their taxes.

Mr. Heath is one of the best known young business men of the county, and his many friends will be interested to know that he has assumed his duties, and they predict a most successful administration of the duties of the office under him.

HOME WANTED FOR FINE BOY.

WANTED—a home for a lovable orphan boy, twelve years of age, with some one who is big-hearted enough to give him a chance to go to school.

For further information, call on Miss Jean Langston, Superintendent Child Welfare.

JUDGE CARNLEY URGES QUAL- IFIED VOTERS TO HELP GET RECORDS CORRECT.

I wish to urge all qualified voters of Coffee County whose names have been left off the qualified lists sent out by the Probate Judge to the voting places to bring or send me their registration certificates and their poll tax receipts so that proper entries may be made on the records. The registration and poll tax books in the Probate Office are very inaccurate. They do not show the ages, in many cases they do not show payment of poll taxes.

I am anxious to have these records speak the truth. If names are left off it is because the records are not correct. I am trying to revise the voters lists, and I want to be able to certify all names of all qualified voters. Unless the records show dates of birth and payment of all poll taxes due, it is impossible to make true certificates. If there are names not on the record which should appear, it is not my fault, and I am ready to assist any one in getting the record correct.

I am giving this notice in the hope that all persons whose names have not appeared on the qualified lists and whose names should appear will come in and assist in getting their names on the lists.

J. A. CAINLEY,
Judge of Probate.

EURELIAN CLASS ENTER- TAINED BY MISSES MORROW—

Misses Olean and Lucile Morrow entertained the Eurelian Class of the Baptist Sunday School Tuesday evening. This was a get-together meeting and no planned program was given. The class teacher, Mrs. R. G. Hutchison conducted a Bible contest. Mrs. Bruce Maddox and Miss Olean Morrow rendered a number of delightful piano selections. A delicious salad plate was served.

Mrs. W. D. Pierson, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rowe and little son, and Miss Iva Carroll, of Troy, spent Sunday in Auburn with Mr. Diamond Pierson.

Mrs. Claude Lee Windham and her sister, Mrs. Thelma, returned to their home in Lakeland, Fla., last week after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lee.

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POOR ORIGINAL

MUCH ALABAMA CORN IS GOING TO MARKET.

Auburn, Ala., Oct. 4.—Following cotton picking, corn is now being gathered in Alabama and some of it is going to market, according to reports received by J. D. Moore, extension marketing specialist, Auburn. As usual, a very large portion of it will be consumed on the farms where it is produced.

Investigating conditions in which Alabama corn is arriving at the markets, Mr. Moore found that much of it is not mature and that this is causing complaints by the buyers. For this reason he is suggesting that selling corn where there is a surplus be delayed until it is as mature as the buyers want it. He said also that there is danger of over-selling this fall and having to buy at a higher price next spring.

In Birmingham there is a weekly market of two to three carloads of corn. The demand for corn shelled, graded, and sacked in two-bushel sacks is said by Dr. M. P. Jackson, of the Tennessee Coal, Iron

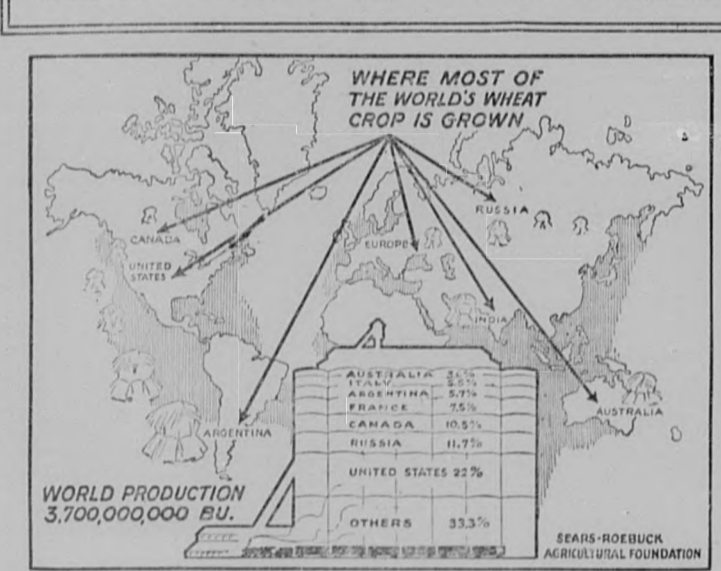
and Railroad Company, to be all that Alabama farmers will supply. The Coaly-Holmes Milling Company uses 2000 to 3000 bushels of yellow corn each week in their poultry feeds.

Another complaint concerns corn weevils. Farmers in South Alabama are well acquainted with weevils and buyers in Birmingham and elsewhere are objecting to taking weevil corn. If it is harvested early and then fumigated weevils will be destroyed. This makes it marketable and also prevents severe injury for feeding at home.

A large number of the most promising young lads singing in Alabama will be heard in a state contest from Station WFTL, Auburn, the night of October 21. The following night, October 22, young men will have their opportunity. Each will be under the auspices of the Auburn City National Radio Station.

A few acres of oats planted on good land during October will furnish winter grazing and a fine crop next spring.

Critical Points in the Wheat Situation



What growers must take a world-wide view of crop prospects if their decision is to sell to the best bidder. The price of wheat probably is more strongly influenced by crop conditions in distant parts of the world than it is true of any other important farm product.

Strongly in wheat prices during the spring has been due to special developments in all important wheat countries. Drought prevailed over the hard wheat sections of Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas. Excessive rains in Canada delayed spring wheat planting operations and prevented seeding a full acreage. In Argentina and Australia, where planting fall wheat was taking place, the weather was too dry. Some of the countries of Europe, including Russia, reported that the season was not so good as last year. That estimates on the 1927 crop in India indicated that little wheat for export from that country. The remainder of the 1926 crop was passing into consumption at an unexpectedly high rate, suggesting only a moderate carryover.

In recent years, the United States has produced an average of 800 million bushels of wheat, of which approximately 22 per cent, or 175 million bushels, had to be sold abroad. This

REIGN OF TERROR IN CRENSHAW, SAYS ATTORNEY GENERAL McALL.

Montgomery, Ala., Oct. 1.—That Crenshaw County has been the seat of a reign of terror and that citizens have been practically at the mercy of hands of masked and armed men, was the startling statement of Attorney General Charles C. McCall, last night. Attorney General McCall has been investigating the lawless outrages in Crenshaw county for the past several weeks and is in Laverne, the county seat, today, preparing to place the results of his investigations before the grand jury.

Practically 150 persons are involved in the series of kidnappings, kidnappings, and resulting deaths from unmerciful floggings in Crenshaw county alone, General McCall said. "Ninety per cent of the kidnappings, kidnappings and deaths which I have investigated in Crenshaw county were the result of the lawless acts of masked and armed men," General McCall declared.

General McCall's statement in full, as made at Laverne last night, is as follows: "I am in the course of an investigation of twenty or more kidnappings occurring in Crenshaw county, some of them very recently, and expect to take all these matters before the grand jury. If the investigation develops there will be practically 150 parties involved as follows:

"In my judgment, after investigating the matters over a period of several weeks, I am of the opinion that conditions in the rural sections of Crenshaw county have reached the point where a regular reign of terror has existed there. People have been whipped unmercifully, kidnapped and taken from their homes and in several instances beaten to the point where death death resulted.

"I am not in a position to give publicity, at this moment, to the names of these victims. I want to ask the cooperation of the newspapers and the public generally in this respect, to the

DISASTROUS FIRE DESTROYS STORES IN ARIZON.

Ozark, Ark., Sept. 30.—Damage and loss estimated at more than \$35,000 was done by fire at Arizon, 12 miles from here, about 1:30 o'clock Friday morning. The origin of the blaze is unknown.

Almost the entire business section of the town was burned in the history of the little town. The blaze is thought to have started in the store of D. N. Skinner and had gained tremendous headway before it was discovered.

Citizens organized a volunteer fire fighting force and fought the flames until they checked the spread of the fire. The buildings destroyed or damaged were:

Masonic building, no insurance; H. L. Richards, store, \$1,000 damage; John's store, \$1,000 damage; Morgan Grocery store, \$1,000 damage; J. B. Richards, store, \$500 damage; J. W. McKinnis's store, \$1,000 damage; C. B. Richards's store, \$1,000 damage; Arizon State Bank, \$500 damage; B. Dean Drug Store, total loss, \$5,000; S. E. Jones, \$2,500 damage; G. W. Gray, \$1,000 damage; J. O. King's store, slight damage; New City Barber shop, \$500 damage; and Taylor's Garage, \$500 damage.

The largest baby chick hatchery in the world is in California. It has a capacity of 1,500,000 eggs at one setting. The second largest is at Peoria, Ill., with 1,034,000 eggs.

and that this serious situation may be successfully handled.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the parole of A. Winfield Mathews, who was convicted in the Circuit Court of Coffee County in 1926, for violating the prohibition laws, and sentenced to the penitentiary of the state, will be presented before the State Board of Pardons on October 11th, 1927.

MAN SHOT TO DEATH IN HOG LOT; HOGS MANGLE BODY.

Geneva Reaser says: A deplorable shooting affray occurred at Highgate Friday, in which Warren McKinney met instant death, after which hogs mangled the body of the dead man in a horrible manner.

According to best accounts obtainable Morgan Mosley and Warren McKinney, both employees on the Dr. Bridges farm, south of Highgate, in Florida, had for some time been at logger heads and were not friendly. Their relations arrived at the breaking point Friday, and, we are informed, Mosley, armed with a shot gun, went out to the hog lot where McKinney was feeding his hogs. Hot

words soon ensued, when Mosley shot McKinney in the head, blowing off a large section of the head. Mosley then walked off, leaving the body on the ground, surrounded by the hogs he had been feeding. The hogs soon started to feed off the bleeding remains of McKinney, and Mosley, we are informed, immediately proceeded to Bonifay, where he gave himself up to the authorities and is now in the Holmes County jail.

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The rapid increase in the consumption of dairy products during the last decade has been an outstanding feature of the changes in food habits. "But for health" has become the popular slogan and education in the value of dairy products which are rich in vitamin A and important sources of protein and lime plus the trend toward a more equable diet have resulted in increases in the per capita consumption of dairy products during the past decade of as much as 30 per cent in the case of fluid milk and 40 per cent in the case of butter and cheese than the city man. Consumption of all dairy products is below the average in Southern states where dairy production has increased very slowly and prices average high.

ELBA ALABAMA

LOVERS OF CLEAN ENTERTAINMENT WILL ATTEND MILT TOLBERT THEATRE.

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A feature of the Milt Tolbert Show is the Radio Serenaders orchestra, whose music has been broadcast from many stations during the past season. This famous organization will render occasional musical programs at each performance and in a feature of the big concerts after the main dramatic show every night.

So popular has the Tolbert Show become that crowds that tax the capacity of the big tent are the usual rather than the out of the ordinary. This record will likely be broken in Elba, whose people have a reputation of patronizing and knowing good entertainment.

CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to thank my friends for their love manifested in the remembrance of my beloved husband, J. J. Shelds, who passed away on September 27th, at his old home church, Pleasant Ridge.

Mrs. S. M. Shelds.

WANTED—All the good, sound Chestnuts that are for sale in Coffee County. PAYTON NICHOLS, 29420 Troy, Alabama.

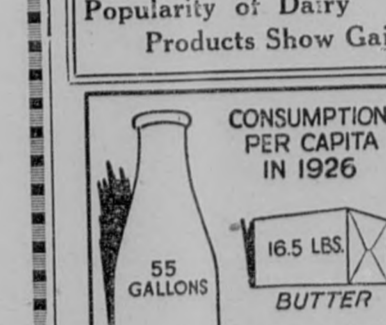
The Alabama Farm Bureau has established a miscellaneous marketing service with a view to selling all kinds of farm products.

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SHIELDS MEMORIAL SINGING.

The Shields Memorial Singing met at Pleasant Ridge Church on September 27, 1927. The house was called to order by M. W. Helms by singing three songs. Prayer by G. T. Willis. Chairman M. W. Helms appointed E. A. Lowery to lead the introductory lesson of three songs. Then class elected M. W. Helms chairman, D. L. Martin, vice chairman, arranging committee S. D. K. Hargraves and C. L. Rowe. G. M. Taylor, secretary.

The chairman sang two songs. The committee reported a lesson by four, three songs each: M. A. Helms, M. C. Boutwell, D. L. Martin, C. L. Rowe. Focus five minutes. House called to order by M. W. Helms by singing three songs. Committee reported a lesson by four, three songs each: J. E. Davis, B. F. Lowery, R. H. Moore, S. D. Killingsworth. Focus five minutes. House called to order by M. W. Helms by singing three songs. Committee reported a lesson by four, three songs each: C. R. Wise, W. J. C. Davis, E. A. Lowery, M. A. Helms, R. C. Lowery. Closed by chairman singing three songs, and was dismissed until September 27, 1928, with prayer by Brother B. F. Lowery.

M. W. Helms, Chmn., D. L. Martin, vice-Chmn., G. M. Taylor, Secy.

Resolution of Thanks. We, the singers of the 9th annual memorial singing wish to thank the good people for their kindness while we were in their midst, and especially to we thank the good ladies for the refreshments that they prepared for the noon hour. May the good Lord bless all that took a part in the 9th annual memorial sing.

Respectfully submitted, G. T. WILLIS, S. R. Morgan, and C. R. Wise.

MORTGAGE SALE. State of Alabama, Coffee County. Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain mortgage, executed by G. W. Clark and his wife, Sula Clark, and J. G. Clark and his wife, Etta L. Clark, on the seventh day of January, 1920, and assigned to the undersigned, E. E. Williams, which mortgage was recorded in Mortgage Record 74, pages 275 and 276, reference to which is hereby made, I will proceed to sell to the highest bidder for cash in front of

of R. E. Williams store in the town of Kinston, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale on Monday, October 17, 1927, the following described real estate to-wit:

W. of N. 34, Section 9, Township 35, Range 19, in Coffee County, Alabama.

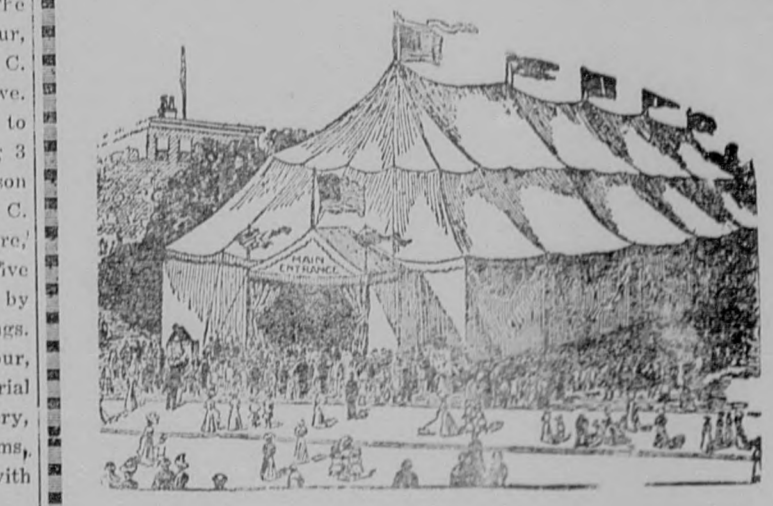
Said sale will be made for the purpose of paying the mortgage indebtedness, Attorney's fees and other expenses incident to collection of same.

R. E. WILLIAMS, Assignee of said Mortgage.

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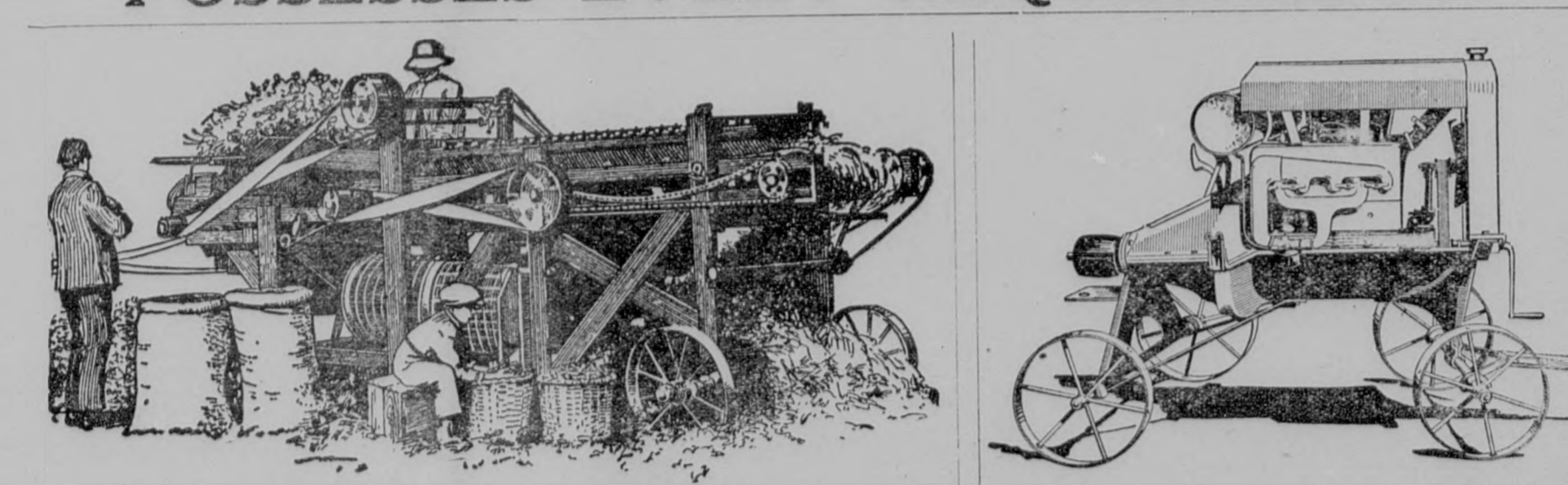
In accordance with the provisions of the Registration Laws of Alabama, the Board of Registrars of Coffee County, Ala., will attend at the following named places on the dates given, during the year 1927, for the purpose of registering all persons who are eligible for registration:

Beat 13—Haw Ridge	October 17, 8 A. M. to 12 M.
Beat 12—Tabernacle	October 17, 1 P. M. to 5 P. M.
Beat 11—Prestwood's Store	October 18, 8 A. M. to 12 M.
Beat 10—Victoria	October 18, 1 P. M. to 5 P. M.
Beat 21—Voting Place	October 19, 8 A. M. to 12 M.
Beat 22—Wise's Mill	October 19, 1 P. M. to 5 P. M.
Beat 15—Double Heads	October 20, 8 A. M. to 12 M.
Beat 3—Lewis' Mill	October 20, 1 P. M. to 5 P. M.
Beat 4—Newbin School House	October 21, 8 A. M. to 12 M.
Beat 3—Ham School House	October 21, 1 P. M. to 5 P. M.
Beat 19—Pine Level	October 22, 8 A. M. to 12 M.
Beat 2—Curtis	October 22, 1 P. M. to 5 P. M.
Beat 1—Perry's Store	October 24, 8 A. M. to 12 M.
Beat 20—Williams' Store	October 24, 1 P. M. to 5 P. M.
Beat 18—Kinston	October 25, 8 A. M. to 12 M.
Beat 11—Wise's Store	October 25, 1 P. M. to 5 P. M.
Beat 24—Levarett	October 26, 8 A. M. to 12 M.
Beat 7—Goodman	October 26, 1 P. M. to 5 P. M.
Beat 16—Stephens' Store	October 27, 8 A. M. to 12 M.
Beat 8—Central City	October 27, 1 P. M. to 5 P. M.
Beat 9—New Brickton	October 28 and 29, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Beat 17—Enterprise	October 31, November 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Beat 6—Elba	November 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Under the provisions of the Registration Laws, no person can be registered except in the precinct of his or her residence, or at the Court House at Elba or Enterprise. All parties interested will please meet the Board promptly on the dates and at the hours named above.

H. C. STEPHENSON, W. M. TUCKER, HENRY WATSON, Board of Registrars, Coffee County, Ala.

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